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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
(Attorney Docket No. 111453.125US (formerly GSI-005))

In re Application of: Osgood et al.

Examiner: Siefke

Serial No.: 09/586,858

Group Art Unit: 1743

Filed: June 5, 2000

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR WASHING AND DRYING PINS IN MICROARRAY
SPOTTING INSTRUMENTS

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**PETITION PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b) TO REVIVE AN UNINTENTIONALLY
ABANDONED PATENT APPLICATION**

Dear Sir:

The above-referenced application has abandoned because the Amendment After Final Office Action filed on October 30, 2003 in response to the Final Office Action dated July 16, 2003 did not place the application in condition for allowance. The abandonment of the application was unintentional and the Applicants hereby respectfully petition to revive the application. A Notice of Appeal is submitted herewith.

The \$1,330.00 petition fee according to 37 CFR §1.17(m) should be charged to Deposit Account No. 08-0219. Please also charge any additional fees that might be due in connection with this matter to Deposit Account No. 08-0219. If there are any questions in connection with this submission, please contact the undersigned.

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